

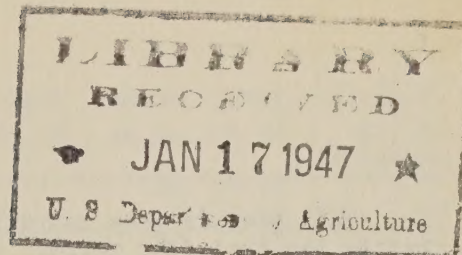
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PRICE LIST

of

GLADIOLUS BULBS

Unbloomed Seedlings

Seeds

Specializing in

RECENT INTRODUCTIONS

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## INTRODUCTION

This year we grew approximately 300 named varieties, of which about 200 were introduced within the last four years. Of last year's introductions we grew 50 and have observed many others; from this 50 we have selected about 25 for listing. Our aim is to grow the new varieties that seem most promising, discard those that do not appear worthy and offer the best ones in our catalog.

Our 1947 catalog contains about 160 varieties, including over 110 of the best Recent Introductions - we suspect the largest list of new ones available in any current catalog. It is our aim to improve this list each year by adding the best of the new ones and removing the varieties that prove inferior to them.

It is often difficult to tell from descriptions just how good a particular variety is. For this reason we rate all varieties on the basis of our experience, also taking into consideration performance at shows, symposiums, and consultations with other growers and judges. Our ratings are on an over-all basis, including beauty, height, flowerhead, number open, attachment, consistency, disease resistance, etc. Our ratings are largely from the viewpoint of desirability as a cut flower and for exhibition. Varieties listed in Group (1) are Outstanding, (2) Excellent, (3) Very Good, and (4) Worth Growing. Many varieties which we grow have been excluded because they have not proved of sufficient merit.

We are again this year offering some of our mixed unbloomed seedlings. All bulbs are from crosses hand-pollinated in 1944 and have not yet bloomed. There should be a wide range of colors, for we have been striving to obtain improvement in each of the color classes. Medium bulbs only are offered this year, at 10 for 75¢. The heavy demand for similar bulbs last year, and our desire to keep a good number for our own growing, forces us to limit each customer to 10.

We are also offering seeds from selected crosses made this past summer. You will notice that the seed parents have been carefully chosen from new and outstanding varieties, with the laws of plant inheritance in mind. If you haven't grown seeds and seedlings you have missed what is probably the most fascinating aspect of our hobby. Packets of 20 seeds of any of the crosses below (seed parent given first) are 50¢ each. While we have a good supply of each cross, the different ones will probably not sell evenly, so we may fairly soon find ourselves exhausted in some. We suggest, therefore, that you list one cross that can be used as a substitute for each two packets on your order. In acknowledging order we will state whether or not it will be necessary to make any substitutions and if so, which of your choices it will be.

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| Arethusa x Athlone   | King Click x Buena Vista    |
| Buena Vista x Purple Supreme   | King Click x Fabulous       |
| Corona x Burma   | King Tan x Drum Major       |
| Corona x Golden State  | Lady Jane x Madeline Brown  |
| Corona x King Lear   | Larime x Picardy            |
| Crinkle Cream x Van Gold   | Milford x Peggy             |
| Eliz. the Queen x Miss Wisconsin   | Ogarita x Pioneer           |
| Eliz. the Queen x Myrna Fay  | Picardy x Pfitzer's Century |
| Greta Garbo x Daisy Mae  | Vista Bonita x Silver Wings |
| Greta Garbo x Tarawa   | Vulcan x King Click         |
| Helen of Troy x Drum Major   | White Gold x Silver Wings   |
| Daisy Mae x Diane, Drum Major, Gratitude, Grenadier, John von Konynenburg<br>and Palermo (Seed from 6 crosses mixed) |                             |

Mixed seeds are also available in case you want the same quality, but with greater variety - 25 seeds for 50¢. (Limit 2 packets of mixed seeds to an individual.)

Our bulbs are clean and high-crowned, and you will find that we fill orders generously. We never substitute without your permission. Orders will be filled and set aside in the order received. Payment in full will be expected before shipment. We send out orders post-paid the last half of March.

Ten bulbs or bulblets will be sold at 8 times the single price (or 4 times the rate for 2) and 100 bulblets at 8 times the rate for 10; 5 at the 10 rate and 25 at the 100 rate. Because our growing space is limited, we do not undertake to supply over 10 bulbs or 100 bulblets of a variety to a customer, except where indicated in the list.

Discounts are given for all orders over \$3. On orders from \$3 to \$7, subtract 5% discount; from \$7 to \$15, subtract 10%; from \$15 to \$25, subtract 15%, and over \$25, subtract 20%.

Last year we were forced to withdraw a number of varieties early in the season due to unexpectedly heavy demand for them. This year our stock is much larger, but indications are that the demand for certain varieties will be such that our supply in them may not last out the selling season. We therefore suggest that you send in your order early. While anything we still have available is always at your service, March 15 is about the last date we are in good position to accept orders. We are by then busy sending out orders, making our planting plans and looking for the first daffodil.



| NAME                  | RATING | DESCRIPTION  | LARGE  | MEDIUM | SMALL          | BULBLETS                          |
|-----------------------|--------|--|--------|--------|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| ABIGAIL (3)           |        | Lavender for commercial and exhibition. Color not perfect, but considered excellent lavender by many growers.  | \$5.00 | \$4.00 | \$3.00         | \$ .50<br>100-32.00               |
| ALGONQUIN (1-2)       |        | Tall clear red scarlet. Usually wins its class. Topflight commercial. Needlepoint type.  | -      | .05    | 3-10<br>10-.25 | 100- .30                          |
| ALPINE (3-4)          |        | Medium sized lovely ruffled white. Would be excellent if a few inches taller.  | .50    | .35    | .25            | 10- .25<br>100- 2.00              |
| A.L.STEPHEN (2)       |        | Attractive salmon, deeper blotch. Fine grower.   | .60    | .40    | -              | .05                               |
| ATHLONE (1)           |        | Beautiful clear creamy buff. Opens 8-10 large florets formally placed. Makes fine exhibition spikes.   | -      | .50    | .35            | 3- .25                            |
| BALLAD (2)            |        | Tall lovely light rosy pink. Ruffled. Fine all-around glad. Real beauty and makes fine spikes.   | .25    | 2- .25 | 4-.25          | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00              |
| BARBARA JANE (3-4)    |        | Tall exhibition rosy lavender with deeper blotch. Long flowerheads.  | .40    | .25    | .15            | 10- .25<br>100- 2.00              |
| BEAUTY CLINIC (4)     |        | Beautiful ruffled light salmon pink. Short.  | .25    | .15    | .10            | 10- .20                           |
| BENGASI (1)           |        | Tall clear pink shading to light throat, small attractive feather. Eight 6" florets on long head. A beauty.  | 5.00   | -      | -              | .50                               |
| BIG TOP (2)           |        | Striking medium pink, carmine feather. Huge glad with long head. Popular commercial. Fine show record.   | .25    | .15    | .10            | 15- .25                           |
| BIRCH RED (2)         |        | Large deep red. A fine new variety. Stock scarce, but has fine show record where shown.  | 4.00   | 3.00   | 2.00           | .45<br>Single bulbs only 10- 3.60 |
| BIRMINGHAM BEAUTY (3) |        | Heavily ruffled geranium pink, small cream throat. Very pretty-no flecking. Good all-around glad.  | .75    | .50    | .25            | 10- .50<br>100- 4.00              |
| BLACK DIAMOND (3-4)   |        | Attractive ruffled deep red. Medium sized florets, formal placement. Good grower.  | .40    | .30    | .20            | .05<br>10- .40                    |
| BLACK PANTHER (3)     |        | One of the largest and darkest reds. Good color and strong grower.   | .90    | .65    | .40            | .10<br>10- .90                    |
| BLESSED DAMOSEL (3-4) |        | Clear ruffled pink. Opens 8 large round blooms. Very pretty, flecks some in rain. Medium height.   | .50    | .35    | .25            | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00              |
| BLUE LAGOON (2)       |        | Medium deep violet -almost self. Makes good spikes and appears to be best dark blue. Strong grower.  | 6.00   | 4.00   | 3.00           | .60<br>Single bulbs only 10- 4.80 |
| BRIDESMAID (2-3)      |        | Large strong growing light pink, cream throat. 6-8 open. Good commercial and exhibition prospect.  | .75    | .55    | .35            | .10<br>10- .75                    |
| BRONZE KING (2-3)     |        | Large chocolate smoky, with bright orange blotch. 6-8 open on tall straight spike. Attractive smoky.   | 1.75   | 1.50   | 1.25           | 2- .35<br>10- 1.40                |
| BUCKEYE BRONZE (2)    |        | Very striking bronze. Catches eye of all. Fine commercial and frequent show winner. Strong propagator.   | .20    | 2- .25 | 2- .15         | 10- .15<br>100- 1.00              |
| BUENA VISTA (2)       |        | Deep rose, deeper lavenderish throat. Attractive and does not streak as much as other deep ones in rain. 60" tall, 20 buds, 27" flowerhead, 5½" bloom, and 8 open. Fine show glad and a good commercial. | .80    | .60    | .40            | 2- .15<br>10- .60<br>100- 4.80    |
| BURGUNDY (2-3)        |        | Very lovely ruffled rose red, narrow cream line in throat. Straight with long heads, good attachment and many open. Little more height and this one would be tops.                                       | .40    | .30    | .20            | 4- .15<br>10- .30<br>100- 2.40    |
| BURMA (1-2)           |        | Ruffled deep rose. Lighter throat with deep blotch. Prettiest rose despite some flecking. Show winner and commercial.  | .50    | .35    | .25            | 4- .15<br>10- .30<br>100- 2.40    |
| CALYPSO (3)           |        | Tall large deep pink, cream throat. Attachment little loose. Has made some championship spikes.  | .80    | .60    | .40            | 2- .15<br>100- 4.50               |
| CANDYSPLASH (4)       |        | Clear white with rose splashes on petals and around edges. Fine grower and frequent show winner.   | -      | .40    | .25            | .05<br>10- .40                    |
| CAPSICUM (3)          |        | Attractive deep pink with unusual red peppering on cream throat. Tall with long head. Glamis with peppering.   | 1.00   | .75    | .50            | .10<br>100- 6.40                  |
| CARIBOU (3-4)         |        | Tall white with blue purple feather. Many open. Rated highly in Canadian Symposium.  | -      | .15    | .10            | 10- .15                           |
| C.W. GANNETT (1)      |        | Attractive huge orange rose smoky, cherry blotch. Late. 5'-6' tall, 24 buds, 30" flowerhead, 9 open, 6½" floret. A real show champion.   | .75    | .50    | .35            | 2- .15<br>10- .60<br>100- 4.80    |
| CARRARA (2-3)         |        | Tall large white, slight purple feather. Long head with 8 open. Good commercial and exhibition white.  | 1.00   | .60    | .40            | 5- .25                            |
| CENTENNIAL (2-3)      |        | Tall, large scarlet red. Very attractive. Gave us fine exhibition spikes and is a good commercial.   | .25    | .15    | .10            | 15- .25                           |
| CHANTILLY (3)         |        | Formal pink with light throat and soft rose feather. Attractive exhibition type.   | 10.00  | -      | -              | -                                 |
| CHARMOLUCK (3)        |        | Ruffled orange buff, creamy yellow throat. Petals have smoked violet edge. Good grower and attractive.   | 2.00   | 1.50   | -              | .30<br>10- 2.40                   |
| CHRISTINE (1-2)       |        | Clear large white. Tall and straight with 8 open. Fine exhibition variety.   | 5.00   | -      | -              | .50                               |
| CHUNGKING (4)         |        | Large strong-growing orange with cream markings on petals. Yellow lip with crimson markings.   | 1.60   | 1.40   | 1.20           | .25<br>10- 2.00                   |
| COMMANDO (2-3)        |        | Clear light scarlet with white throat line. Opens 8 or more well-placed blooms. Fine show glad.  | 1.00   | .70    | .50            | .15                               |
| CONN. YANKEE (1)      |        | Very beautiful clear blush pink, rose red blotch. Fine consistent grower with 8-9 large florets open on long spike. Heavy show winner and fine commercial.   | 4.00   | 3.00   | 2.00           | .40<br>100-25.00                  |



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|-----------------|--------|---|--------|---------|---------|---|
| CORONA          | (1-2)  | Cream white, rose picotee edge. Distinctive and beautiful. Attracts crowds at shows. Fine grower.   | \$ .10 | 4-\$.25 | 4-\$.15 | 100-\$.25                                   |
| COVER GIRL      | (2)    | Very tall medium pink. Long head with 8-10 large florets open. Large bulbs make top show spikes.  | 1.00   | .50     | .35     | 3- .25<br>100- 6.00                         |
| CRINKLE CREAM   | (2)    | Large ruffled light yellow. Tall husky grower with 4-6 open. Good propagator. Among top yellows.  | .50    | .35     | .25     | 5- .15<br>100- 2.25                         |
| CROWN ORCHID    | (3-4)  | Large purplish lavender with occasional flecking. A good grower.  | 5.00   | -       | -       | 10- 3.60<br>2- .35<br>10- 1.40<br>100-10.00 |
| DAISY MAE       | (1-2)  | Large attractive orange pink with cherry blotch. 8 open on tall straight spike with long head and 20 buds. Good propagator. Fine commercial and exhibition. A real find.          | 1.50   | 1.00    | .75     | 2- .35<br>10- 1.40<br>100-10.00             |
| DAWN GLOW       | (2-3)  | Large attractive ruffled rose pink with cream throat. Many favorable reports on this.   | -      | 2.50    | 2.00    | .20   |
| DELILAH         | (2)    | Rich deep clear salmon orange blending to cream throat. Ruffled.  | 2.50   | -       | -       | .20   |
| DR. WHITELEY    | (3)    | Clear yellow apricot with yellow throat. Good grower and one of the best buffs.   | .30    | .20     | 2- .25  | 20- .25                                     |
| DREAM CASTLE    | (3)    | Ruffled light coral pink blending to lighter throat. 6-10 open on straight spike. Medium length head.   | -      | .40     | .25     | 2- .15<br>10- .60                           |
| DRUM MAJOR      | (3)    | Large orange with deeper blotch. Produces good show spikes and is moderately attractive.  | 1.00   | .75     | .50     | 2- .15<br>10- .60                           |
| EGIANTINE       | (2-3)  | Ruffled light salmon pink, white throat. Good spikes of this one are tops. Slow propagator.   | -      | 5.00    | 3.00    | .75   |
| ELEGANT LADY    | (3)    | Ruffled bluish white, shading to rosy pink. Yellow throat. Straight exhibition spikes.  | 1.00   | .65     | .40     | .10<br>100- 6.40                            |
| ELIZ. MAIER     | (2)    | Tall deep yellow with long head. Opens 8-12 medium sized florets. A heavy prize winner at shows.  | 3.00   | 2.00    | 1.50    | .25<br>100-16.00                            |
| ELIZ. THE QUEEN | (1-2)  | Very beautiful ruffled light rose lavender, darker throat lines. 48"-60" tall for us, 18-20 buds, 8-10 open, and 22"-27" head. Shorter for some when field grown.                 | .25    | 2- .25  | 4- .25  | 10- .15<br>100- 1.20                        |
| EXTRA           | (2-3)  | Large rose salmon with deep orange blotch. A show glad. Won for us as best Recent Introduction at N.E.G.S. Show. Makes excellent spikes.  | 1.00   | .75     | -       | .10<br>10- .80                              |
| FABULOUS        | (2-3)  | Striking deep pink, red blotch on large cream throat. Tall straight spikes with 6 large blooms.   | 4.00   | 3.00    | -       | .50   |
| FAIR ANGEL      | (3)    | Cream white with deeper throat. Large spikes are very attractive. Popular commercial and strong grower.   | 2- .25 | 4- .25  | 4- .15  | 10- .05<br>100- .40                         |
| FAY             | (3-4)  | Ruffled eosine pink. A promising early commercial. Good grower. Often flecks when opened in garden.   | .70    | .50     | .25     | 2- .15<br>100- 4.50                         |
| FLYING FORTRESS | (1)    | Huge lavender grey smoky. Flower heads over 30" with 8-14 open. Real mammoth with attractive florets. Tops as an exhibition variety.  | 1.00   | .70     | .45     | .10<br>10- .80<br>100- 6.40                 |
| FORT TI         | (3)    | Clear light pink. Large flowers with 6-8 open. Fine color. Occasional slight flecking. Attachment little loose.   | .25    | .15     | 2- .15  | 10- .15<br>100- 1.20                        |
| FUCHSIA BELLE   | (2-3)  | Deep rose red. Good color that attracts attention. Capable of making fine exhibition spikes.  | -      | -       | 1.00    | .20   |
| GENGHIS KHAN    | (2)    | Beautiful heavily ruffled medium pink with lighter throat. 6-7 large flowers open on good spike.  | 1.50   | 1.00    | .60     | 2- .25<br>10- 1.00                          |
| GLAMIS          | (2)    | One of the loveliest of glads. Deep pink with cream lip and needlepoint ruffling. Outstanding commercial.   | .20    | 2- .25  | -       | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00                        |
| GLEAM           | (3)    | Lovely clear light yellow. Heavily ruffled. Well-attached formal placement on medium height spikes.   | 1.50   | -       | -       | 2- .25                                      |
| GLENOLDEN       | (2)    | Large chamois with yellow buff throat. Strong grower with long flowerhead and 7-9 open. A good glad in a different color. Attractive.   | 2.00   | 1.60    | 1.20    | .25<br>10- 2.00                             |
| GOAL            | (2)    | Light orange salmon blending to cream throat. Not well-known, but attractive and a very strong grower.  | .20    | .15     | -       | 10- .10<br>100- .80                         |
| GOLDEN STATE    | (2)    | Clear medium deep yellow with faint red mark in throat. Formal with 8-10 open on long head. Good grower. Excellent for exhibition and commercial use.                             | .60    | .40     | .25     | 4- .25<br>10- .50<br>100- 4.00              |
| GRACE ESTELLA   | (3)    | Lovely salmon pink with cream throat. Straight spike with 6-8 5" flowers open. A good pink.   | .50    | .35     | .25     | 5- .25<br>100- 3.50                         |
| GRACIE ALLEN    | (3)    | Clear scarlet self with light edge. Very attractive. Can make fine spikes for exhibition and commercial.  | 1.00   | .75     | .50     | .15<br>100- 8.00                            |
| GRAND OPENING   | (1-2)  | Attractive medium sized lavender, cream throat. Outstanding for shows. Cleaned up at Boston and Michigan. Formal. 10-16 open on long head. Tall with 20-26 buds. Fair propagator. | -      | -       | 5.00    | -<br>Single bulbs only                      |
| GRENADIER       | (2-3)  | Light orange buff. Not clear color, but is attractive. Excellent spikes. Will be frequent show winner.  | 2.00   | 1.25    | .75     | 2- .30<br>100- 9.50                         |



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|--------------------------|--------|---|--------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
| GRETA GARBO (1)          |        | Lovely light cream pink with cream throat. Consistently produces excellent spikes for commercial and exhibition.  | \$ .10 | \$ .05            | 3-\$.10<br>10-.25 | 100-\$ .20                        |
| HAWKEYE RED (3-4)        |        | Red sport of Vagabond Prince. Good color and strong grower.   | .75    | .50               | .25               | .05<br>100- 3.00                  |
| HEAVENLY WHITE (3)       |        | White sport of Rosa van Lima with slight lavenderish feather. A good all-around glad.   | .60    | .40               | .25               | 5- .25<br>100- 4.00               |
| HIGH FINANCE (2)         |        | Attractive smoky light orange grey with cream throat. Tall spikes with 8 well-placed large blooms.  | .20    | 2- .25            | 4- .25            | 30- .20<br>100- .50               |
| HI HAT (4)               |        | Late orange pink with deeper blotch. Well rated by many growers. Heads slightly short for us.   | 1.50   | 1.00              | .50               | .20<br>10- 1.50                   |
| HONOLULU (3)             |        | Slightly smoky orange with small orange blotch and purple feather. Attractive.  | 1.50   | 1.10              | .80               | .15<br>10- 1.20                   |
| HOOSIER LADY (4)         |        | Very pretty rose lavender with cream throat. Medium height and flecks in rain.  | .70    | .50               | .35               | 3- .20<br>10- .50                 |
| HUNTRESS (3-4)           |        | Ruffled early rose lavender. Straight stems. Commercial possibilities. Many spikes fleck outdoors.  | 1.75   | 1.50              | 1.25              | .15<br>100- 9.60                  |
| INTRUDER (1-2)           |        | Scarlet red. Large exhibition spikes with many open. Also commercial variety.   | 3.00   | 2.00              | 1.00              | .40<br>10- 3.00                   |
| IVY ROBERTSON (2)        |        | Tall light pink, cream throat with small red feather. Very long head. Fine commercial and sure winner.  | .35    | .25               | .15               | 10- .25                           |
| JOHAN VAN KONYENBURG (2) |        | Attractive scarlet orange. One of the outstanding new foreign varieties.  | 5.00   | -                 | -                 | .50<br>Single bulbs only 10- 4.00 |
| KESTREL (2)              |        | Pale salmon orange, cream throat. A different shade. Tall straight spikes. 8 open. Fine exhibition or commercial.   | 1.50   | 1.00              | .60               | 5- .25<br>100- 4.00               |
| KING CLICK (1)           |        | Large husky medium red shading to deeper throat. Probably the best exhibition red and a good comm.  | .25    | 2- .25            | 2- .15            | .15<br>100- 1.30                  |
| KING WILLIAM (1-2)       |        | Lovely apricot salmon blending to cream throat. Tall straight strong grower for commercial and show.  | .10    | 4- .25<br>10- .50 | 4- .15<br>10-.30  | 100- .20                          |
| LADY HELEN (3-4)         |        | Tall strong-growing light salmon pink. 7-8 large florets open. Attachment little loose, but good for show.  | 1.00   | .80               | .60               | 2- .15<br>100- 4.80               |
| LADY JANE (1-2)          |        | Attractive cream, yellow lip. Model grower. Good propagator. One of best for commercial and exhibition.   | 2- .25 | 3- .25<br>10- .65 | .05               | 25- .10<br>100- .30               |
| LADY LUCK (2-3)          |        | Lovely light salmon pink Picardy sport, lighter throat. Fine spikes with 6-9 open. In heavy demand.   | 1.00   | .75               | -                 | 2- .25<br>10- 1.00                |
| LAKE PLACID (2-3)        |        | Tall lovely ruffled cream, yellow throat and slight hood. Good grower and different from other creams.  | 1.30   | .90               | .50               | 3- .25<br>100- 5.25               |
| LANTANA (3)              |        | Lovely orange shading to yellow throat. Short stemmed, but when well grown makes good spikes.   | .25    | .15               | .10               | 10- .10<br>100- .80               |
| LARIME (2)               |        | Large orange with deep feather. Formal. A real show glad.   | 1.25   | .90               | .60               | 2- .15                            |
| LAVOLIER (4)             |        | Ruffled light pink, cream throat, slight feather. Recommended highly by several growers. Little short for us.   | 1.75   | 1.50              | 1.00              | .20<br>10- 1.50                   |
| LEADING LADY (1)         |        | Beautiful cream white sport of Picardy. We believe that this is the outstanding variety both as a commercial and for exhibition. In demand everywhere.        | .40    | .25               | .15               | .05<br>100- 3.00                  |
| MADELINE BROWN (1)       |        | Appears to be either improved Picardy or excellent strain of it. Good propagator. Healthy, fine grower with long head and clear color. Stands heat very well. | .75    | .50               | .25               | .05<br>100- 3.00<br>1000-22.00    |
| MALTA (3)                |        | Begonia-rose. Large florets with 6-7 open. Attachment little loose but otherwise good.  | .25    | .20               | 2- .25            | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00              |
| MARGARET BEATON (1-2)    |        | Tall clean white, small scarlet blotch. 6-9 large striking blooms. Show winner and widely-used comm.  | .10    | .05               | -                 | 100- .25                          |
| MARIMBA (2-3)            |        | Tall light buff blending to lighter throat. Strong grower with 6-8 open.  | 2- .25 | 4- .25            | -                 | 10- .05<br>100- .40               |
| MARION PEARL (2-3)       |        | Light pink, cream throat. 6-9 large blooms open. Has won many prizes. In very heavy demand.   | .75    | .50               | .30               | .10<br>10- .80                    |
| MARQUETTA (3)            |        | Attractive light orange with red center. Ruffled. Large flower and long head.   | -      | .20               | .15               | 3- .10                            |
| MARTHA DEANE (2)         |        | Medium yellow, slightly ruffled, with inconspicuous red at back of throat. Strong husky grower with long flower head. Straight stems with 6-8 open.           | 5.00   | 4.00              | 3.00              | .50<br>10- 4.00<br>100-30.00      |
| MARY KATHLEEN (2-3)      |        | Pure white, faint lavender line. Ability to open 8-12 florets makes it show winner. Good comm. color.   | 1.00   | .60               | .35               | 10- .75<br>100- 6.00              |
| MAYLING (2-3)            |        | Very attractive light pink with lavender tint. Makes good spikes with 8 open. Good all-around glad.   | 2- .25 | 2- .15            | .05               | 100- .25                          |
| MERCURY (2-3)            |        | Attractive scarlet red self. Dependable for commercial and exhibition. Have seen wonderful spikes of this.  | .30    | .20               | .10               | 10- .30<br>100- 2.40              |
| MINSTREL (2-3)           |        | Large rose lavender. Needlepoint type. Fine exhibition and commercial spikes. Occasional flecking is not unattractive.  | -      | 2.00              | 1.25              | .25                               |
| MISS VERMONT (3)         |        | Lovely light lavender pink, little deeper throat. If a little taller, would be outstanding.   | -      | 1.00              | .50               | 2- .25<br>10- 1.00                |



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|-------------------------|--------|--|--------|--------|-------------------|------------------------------|
| MISS WISCONSIN (1-2)    |        | Beautiful medium rose. 8 large blooms open. Tall straight spike. In big demand. Flecks some in rain.   | \$ .80 | \$ .60 | \$ .40            | 2- \$ .15                    |
| MOHAWK (3-4)            |        | Dark velvety red self. Color good. Medium length flowerhead. Good propagator. Very popular dark red comm.  | .20    | 2- .25 | 2- .15            | 10- .10<br>100- .80          |
| MONEETA (3)             |        | Clear ruffled yellow with small scarlet blotch. Attractive and good grower.  | -      | .05    | 3- .10<br>10- .25 | 100- .25                     |
| MT. INDEX (3-4)         |        | Tall cream with golden throat. Husky grower and good propagator. 6-8 large florets open. Good commercial.  | .25    | .20    | .15               | 10- .20<br>100- 1.50         |
| MYRNA FAY (2)           |        | Attractive orchid lavender shading to light rosy blotch. Opens 8-11 large florets on tall straight spike. Good attachment and placement. Strong propagator. Fine show and commercial prospect. | 4.00   | 3.00   | -                 | .40<br>10- 3.00<br>100-24.00 |
| MYRTH (4)               |        | Beautiful ruffled light pink blending to large creamy throat. Among prettiest, but spikes only average.  | .35    | .25    | .15               | 10- .25<br>100- 2.00         |
| MYSTERY (1-2)           |        | Very attractive pink, cream throat and light red blotch. 7-9 large flowers open. Fine for exhibition and comm. Opens well in water and retains full beauty to tip.                             | 1.00   | .60    | .40               | 2- .25<br>10- 1.00           |
| NATALIE ANNE (3-4)      |        | Large rose salmon with deeper feather. No flecking. Good grower.   | 1.70   | 1.50   | 1.30              | 2- .35<br>10- 1.30           |
| NIELS M. JENSEN (3)     |        | Large deep salmon, light center and slight lavender halo. Good propagator and very reliable. 8 open.   | .30    | .20    | .10               | 10- .25<br>100- 2.00         |
| NOWADAYS (3)            |        | Soft salmon rose blending to peach blush throat with darker blotch. Makes good spikes.   | 2.00   | 1.00   | .50               | .25<br>10- 2.00              |
| OGARITA (2-3)           |        | Tallest and huskiest we grow. 20-6 buds with long head and 8 open. Rose salmon shading to cream throat.  | .15    | .10    | -                 | 10- .10<br>100- .80          |
| OHIO NONPAREIL (2)      |        | Large attractive light red show winner and fine medium priced comm. Tall with long head.   | .15    | .10    | .05               | 30- .20<br>100- .50          |
| OKLAHOMA (2-3)          |        | Beautifully ruffled lilac. Eliz. the Queen in a different shade. Good propagator. Fine cut flower and show winner.   | 1.00   | .70    | .40               | .10<br>10- .80               |
| ORANGE PRINCE (3)       |        | Deep orange sport of Vagabond Prince with flame throat. Fine propagator and strong grower.   | 1.00   | -      | -                 | 2- .15<br>20- 1.00           |
| OREGON GOLD (2-3)       |        | Late light yellow. Opens 8 5" florets on straight tall stem. Attractively ruffled. Good propagator.  | .20    | 2- .25 | 2- .15            | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00         |
| OREGON RED (3)          |        | Giant bright scarlet red. Good grower and propagator. Long head. Stem of medium length. Fine show red.   | .50    | .35    | .25               | 4- .15<br>10- .35            |
| ORIENTAL PEARL (2)      |        | Very large pale cream. Attachment good and opens when cut in bud. A show winner and a commercial. Good spikes from medium bulbs.   | -      | -      | 3.00              | .50<br>10- 4.00              |
| PALERMO (3)             |        | Large attractive orange with small darker blotch. Long head. Some short stems, but can make fine spikes.   | 2- .25 | 4- .25 | 8- .25            | 100- .20                     |
| PAUL ROBESON (2)        |        | By far the best dark red show glad. Attractive. Tall and straight with long head and 7-9 open.   | 3.00   | 2.00   | 1.00              | .25<br>10- 2.00              |
| PEGGY (2)               |        | Very attractive light lavender with small cream throat and lavender feather. Tall with long head. 6-7 5" florets open. Real commercial and exhibition prospect.                                | 4.00   | -      | -                 | .50                          |
| PFITZER'S CENTURY (1-2) |        | Tall light scarlet for exhibition and commercial use. Looked very good.  | 7.50   | -      | -                 | .80                          |
| PHOEBE (3)              |        | Lovely light salmon pink, light throat. Good grower. Should be popular when more widely grown.   | .75    | .50    | .30               | 2- .15<br>100- 4.00          |
| PICARDY (1)             |        | Soft salmon, buff throat with pale rose feather. Most famous variety. Our stock is clean and healthy.  | .10    | .05    | 3- .10<br>10- .25 | 100- .20                     |
| PILLAR OF FIRE (3)      |        | Deep glowing red with 8-10 open. Fair propagator, otherwise a good late commercial. Very striking.   | 1.00   | .75    | .50               | .10<br>10- .80               |
| PINK CHARM (3-4)        |        | Attractive medium pink with deeper throat. Heavy propagator. Good commercial and free bloomer.   | 4.00   | 3.00   | 2.00              | .40<br>100-25.00             |
| PINK LACE (3)           |        | Very lovely ruffled rose pink. Will be a fine commercial variety if it proves to be a reliable grower.   | 6.00   | -      | -                 | .80                          |
| PINK PARAGON (3)        |        | Clear pink with cream throat. Tall with long head. Medium sized flowers. Widely used as commercial.  | .20    | .15    | -                 | 10- .15                      |
| PIONEER (2)             |        | Husky deep pink with cream throat. Tall with 6-8 large blooms formally placed.   | 1.00   | .75    | .50               | .10<br>100- 6.40             |
| PURPLE SUPREME (1)      |        | Tall bright purple with 8-10 open. Looks like best show and comm. Strong grower. No flecking.  | .25    | 2- .25 | 2- .15            | 10- .15<br>1000- 9.60        |
| RED CHARM (1-2)         |        | Medium red, deeper throat. Very beautiful and widely grown. An excellent all-around glad.  | .20    | 2- .25 | 4- .25            | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00         |
| RED EAGLE (3-4)         |        | Clear medium red that produces large spike. A bright showy color.  | .50    | .35    | .25               | 5- .20<br>25- .80            |
| RED FOX (3)             |        | Tall medium red with long head. Husky grower but florets are not as attractive as some reds.   | 1.00   | .70    | .40               | 2- .15<br>100- 4.80          |
| RIO RITA (2-3)          |        | Attractive ruffled orange, darker throat. Fine exhibition orange and valuable comm. 8 large florets open.  | -      | .20    | .10               | 10- .25                      |
| ROSEA (3)               |        | Hugh light rose pink with deeper lines in throat. 8 open. Flecks some in rain. Exhibition glad.  | .60    | .40    | .25               | 10- .35<br>100- 2.50         |



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|-----------------------|--------|--|--------|--------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| ROYAL GARNET (3)      |        | Large attractive dark red with slight white line. Opens in water and one of few dark ones that seldom streaks in rain. Medium height.  | \$1.25 | \$ .85 | \$ -   | \$ .10<br>10- .80                 |
| ROYAL WINDSOR (1-2)   |        | Fine new red. Beautiful florets and fine spikes. Should be excellent for commercial and exhibition.  | 3.00   | 2.00   | 1.50   | .30<br>Single bulbs only 10- 2.40 |
| SALUTATION (4)        |        | Clear bright pink with small rose red blotch. Attractive early commercial.   | .25    | .20    | .10    | 20- .15<br>100- .60               |
| SILVER WINGS (1)      |        | Beautifully ruffled white, cream throat. Certainly the outstanding white for exhibition and commercial.  | 3.00   | 2.00   | 1.50   | .25<br>100-16.00                  |
| SNOW BANK (3)         |        | Beautiful ruffled white with creamy throat. Good commercial. Opens 6. Long head. Stem of medium length.  | 2- .25 | 2- .15 | .05    | 100- .20                          |
| SNOW MOUNTAIN (3-4)   |        | Huge white with draped petals. Tends to crook from large spikes, but is considered lovely for cut flower.  | 1.75   | 1.25   | .75    | 2- .25                            |
| SNOWSHEEN (2-3)       |        | Beautiful ruffled pure white. Excellent grower, appears to be best medium sized white for comm. and show.  | .30    | .20    | .10    | 25- .25<br>100- .75               |
| SOUTHERN DRAMA (2-3)  |        | Lovely tall scarlet with large florets. Good show record and commercial prospect.  | .30    | .20    | .15    | 10- .25<br>100- 1.50              |
| SPOTLIGHT (1)         |        | Outstanding medium yellow with very attractive red blotch. Makes excellent spikes. Probably best deeper yellow for exhibition and commercial. Very popular.  | 1.50   | 1.00   | .60    | .15<br>100- 9.60                  |
| STRUTTER (4)          |        | Lightly ruffled peach pink with creamy throat. Good propagator. Flecks in rain, but is good commercial.  | .50    | .40    | .25    | .05<br>100- 3.00                  |
| SUMMER GAL (1-2)      |        | Lovely large geranium pink with rose feather. Ruffled. Well-grown spikes are tops for comm. and exhibition.  | 5.00   | 4.00   | -      | .50<br>10- 4.00                   |
| SUNSET ORANGE (-)     |        | Pretty pure orange scarlet with creamy yellow. Large and good grower.  | 1.75   | 1.50   | -      | 2- .35<br>10- 1.40                |
| SUN SPOT (1-2)        |        | Light apricot buff. Rose spot in throat. Our stock is low and we want to hang on to most of it. Certainly will be widely grown. A real glad. Very attractive.  | 3.50   | 2.50   | -      | .30<br>Single bulbs only 10- 2.50 |
| SUSANNAH (3)          |        | Heavily ruffled beautiful pink with cream throat. Makes a very good cut flower.  | .75    | .50    | .35    | .10                               |
| TAHLANEEKA (2-3)      |        | Large light yellow with 6-8 open. Useful for show and cut flower.  | .40    | .25    | .15    | 10- .25                           |
| TIVOLI (2)            |        | Pretty soft rose pink. Opens 8-10. Makes good spikes. One of best new European varieties.  | 4.00   | -      | -      | .50<br>Single bulbs only          |
| TONY (3)              |        | Large light chocolate with orange blotch and cream picotee border on petals. Somewhat hooded. Makes good spikes.   | 1.50   | 1.00   | .60    | 10- .75                           |
| TOPPLITE (1)          |        | Probably the outstanding 1946 introduction. Beautiful clear light rose, cream throat and small rose blotch. No flecking. Tall and straight with 8-10 open. Excellent commercial and exhibition prospect. Opens to top when cut in bud. | 10.00  | 7.50   | 5.00   | 1.25<br>10-10.00                  |
| TRUE LOVE (2-3)       |        | Lovely shell pink. Promising early comm. 50" tall with 6-8 5" blooms. One of few good early pinks.   | -      | -      | .60    | 2- .25<br>10- 1.00                |
| TUNIA'S MAHOMET (2)   |        | Smoky plum rose with scarlet blotch. Attractive. Fine smoke. Makes excellent show spikes.  | 1.00   | .75    | .50    | .15<br>10- 1.00                   |
| TUNISIA (3)           |        | Large formal bronze red with many open. Exhibition type. Fair propagator.  | -      | -      | .90    | .15                               |
| VALEDICTORY (2-3)     |        | Apricot shading deeper at edges and blending to yellow throat. 6-9 5" ruffled florets. Tall; long head.  | 1.25   | .90    | .65    | .10                               |
| VAN GOLD (3-4)        |        | Deep golden yellow. Useful as an early commercial. Medium height.  | .75    | .50    | .35    | .10<br>10- .75                    |
| VEE CREAM (3)         |        | Large light yellow. Attractive scarlet throat. 6-8 open on long head. Some short stems. Fine for show.   | 2- .25 | 4- .25 | 4- .15 | 100- .30                          |
| VICTORY QUEEN (1)     |        | Very lovely ruffled salmon orange, cream throat. Pure color. No flecking. Tall strong grower with 6-8 open on a long head. Show winner and sure fire commercial.   | 1.50   | 1.00   | .60    | 2- .25<br>100- 8.00<br>1000-60.00 |
| VIRGIN (2-3)          |        | A good new commercial white. One of the prettiest florets and well attached. Strong propagator.  | 2.00   | 1.50   | 1.00   | .25<br>10- 2.00                   |
| VISTA BONITA (2)      |        | Light salmon pink, cream throat. Fine grower with 6-8 open. Only fault is some flecking in rain.   | .10    | .05    | -      | 100- .20                          |
| WHITE GOLD (3)        |        | Early large cream, yellow throat. Popular for exhibition and commercial. Heads sometimes short.  | .20    | 2- .25 | 4- .25 | 20- .25<br>100- 1.00              |
| WOLVERINE STATE (3-4) |        | Deep salmon with scarlet blotch. Heavy propagator. Opens 10. Good late commercial.   | .50    | .35    | -      | 10- .25<br>100- 2.00              |
| W.P. 40 (1-2)         |        | Tall white sport of Picardy. Opens 6-9 5" florets. Should be an outstanding winner in the 400 class and a fine commercial.   | 6.00   | -      | -      | .60<br>10- 4.80                   |
| W.R. READER (2)       |        | Lovely ruffled deep salmon, cream throat. Famous in Canada. Reliable placement and straight.   | -      | .25    | .15    | 10- .25                           |
| YANKEE LASS (1-2)     |        | Beautiful light shell pink with slightly deeper throat marking. Fine new variety for show or commercial. Opens 8-10 on tall straight spikes. Formal.   | 7.50   | 5.00   | 3.00   | .90<br>10- 7.20<br>100-57.00      |



